

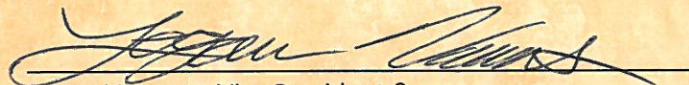
**THE SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH**

Bill Number: Senate Resolution #2017-46
Title: Commemorate 2016-2017 ASI Treasurer Giovanni T. Smith
Sponsored by: 2016-17 ASI Board of Directors
Date Submitted: May 7, 2017
Date Approved: May 10, 2017


- WHEREAS** the Board of Directors of the Associated Students, Inc. (ASI) at California State University, Long Beach (CSULB) has a duty to highlight the contributions of those who have demonstrated a commitment to the enhancement of the educational and social experience of the campus community at CSULB; and
- WHEREAS** the Board of Directors wishes to recognize those who have advocated for issues affecting our campus and our community; and
- WHEREAS** the Board of Directors recognizes the many contributions to California State University, Long Beach, and to the world, made by Giovanni T. Smith during his years of service to the campus community and during his term as ASI Treasurer; and
- WHEREAS** Treasurer Smith began his service to ASI in fall 2012 at the Maxson Student Organization Center, where he worked as the Front Desk Receptionist for two years; and
- WHEREAS** he continued his service in spring 2014 as a Membership Representative at the Student Recreation and Wellness Center, as well as Development Assistant in ASI Administration with Executive Director Richard Haller; and
- WHEREAS** his last role as a student employee was in fall 2015, again, at the Maxson Student Organization Center as Lead Office Assistant; and
- WHEREAS** while he conducted those roles, he always volunteered his time at ASI events, whether at staff events or Beach Pride Events where his energy and ability to connect with people brought others together; and
- WHEREAS** during his time in office as ASI Treasurer, he worked on implementing an online fiscal certification training and examination for all student organizations, so they can learn to be fiscally responsible with ASI support; and
- WHEREAS** Treasurer Smith was instrumental in the creation of a CSULB student financial literacy program, in collaboration with the Division of Student Affairs, called "Financial Literacy 101," where students can learn how to create a budget and set future financial goals; and
- WHEREAS** Treasurer Smith worked to improve the process for spring grant allocations by creating a two reading system to ensure the proficiency and transparency between each year; and
- WHEREAS** served as Chair of Board of Control, where he certified policies to streamline and maximize the availability of funds for student organizations, student travel to academic conferences, and student research; now therefore, be it
- RESOLVED** that the CSULB ASI congratulates and honors Treasurer Giovanni T. Smith for his service and dedication to ASI and the CSULB community; and be it finally

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RESOLVED that an electronic copy of this resolution, upon its approval by the ASI President be distributed to CSULB President Jane Conoley, Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs Brian Jersky, Vice President for Student Affairs Carmen Taylor, Dean of Students Jeff Klaus, Vice President for Administration and Finance Mary Stephens, Vice President for University Relations and Development Andrea Taylor, CSU Chancellor Timothy White, the California State Student Association, all current ASI Officers, the Daily 49er, and the Union Weekly.


Logan Vournas, Vice President &
Chair, Associated Students Board of Directors

Delivered to the President of the Associated Students on:


Marvin Flores, Associated Students President

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